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CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Dennis E. Breitzman Area Manager Bureau of Reclamation Dakotas Area Office P.O. Box 1017 Bismarck, ND 58501

Re:

Administrative Order on Consent Closure

Docket No. SDWA-08-2004-0003

PWS ID #083890015

Dear Mr. Breitzman:

This letter is to inform you of the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) decision to close the Administrative Order (Order), Docket No. SDWA-08-2004-0003, originally issued October 14, 2003, to the Bureau of Reclamation, owner, of the Four Bears Public Water System located on the Fort Berthold Indian Reservation, North Dakota. This decision is based upon EPA's determination that the system has fulfilled the requirements of the Order.

Please be aware that the Bureau of Reclamation is required to comply with the National Primary Drinking Water Regulations (NPDWRs), 40 C.F.R. Part 141. Violation of the NPDWRs or an administrative order may subject the Bureau of Reclamation to a court-imposed injunction and penalties of up to \$32,500 per day of violation.

Thank you for your cooperation in resolving this issue. If you have any questions about this issue, please call Melanie Wasco of my staff at (303) 312-6540.

Sincerely,

Lisa Kahn, Team Leader Drinking Water Enforcement Program Office of Enforcement, Compliance and Environmental Justice

cc: Marcus Wells, Jr., Chairman Fort Berthold Tribal Business Council

> Elton Spotted Horse, Environmental Director Three Affiliated Tribes

Bruce Fox, Compliance Officer Ft. Berthold Rural Water

Jack Sorum, Tribal Utility Consultant Indian Health Service